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Examiner Takaoka,

Please find attached hereto the following documents for the above-identified application:

1. Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,



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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 9, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- ☐ Amendments to the Specification begin on page      of this paper.
- ☒ Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ Amendments to the Drawings begin on page      of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper
- Please note, if a box is not checked, then no corresponding amendment is being made.